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1. ACCORDING ED EDMONDSON, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR US CHESS FEDERATION (USCF) WHO IN FREQUENT CONTACT WITH ROBERT BYRNE, NO REPEAT NO INVITATION RECEIVED FROM MAR DEL PLATA OR ARGENTINE CHESS TOURNAMENT ORGANIZERS. IN VIEW OF LAST MINUTE NOTIFICATION, USCF UNABLE ARRANGE US PARTICIPATION DUE VARIOUS COMMITMENTS TOP PLAYERS.

2. BYRNE NOT EXPECTED ENTER ANY FOREIGN COMPETITIONS UNTIL INTERZONAL MATCHES SCHEDULED LENINGRAD IN JUNE. HE PRESENTLY WRITING CHESS BOOK AND ARTICLES FOR NEW YORK TIMES.

3. IN FUTURE SUGGEST CHESS ORGANIZERS CORRESPOND DIRECTLY WITH EDMONDSON, USCF, 479 BROADWAY, NEWBURGH, NEW YORK 12550. ROGERS

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